

The New GOSSARD CORSETS for Spring

WHILE retaining all those qualities that have characterized and famed Gossard corsets in past seasons, they strike a new note in corsetry—a subtle change that is reflected in a more delicately beautiful outline and in an even more graceful flat back. Youth is the keynote in the style of these new Gossard models.

This is the
**Thirty-second Announcement and Proclamation of
Gossard Corset Styles for Spring and Summer, 1917**

The new models vary in height of bust and length of skirt—as they should—to meet the individual requirements of the various figure types, but the general tendency is toward less corset, lower bust and shorter skirts with a smaller waistline indicated by skillful designing rather than actually expressed.

Be fitted today to one of the many models designed for your figure type at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and up. An expert corsetier who understands your corset problems will deem it a pleasure to fit you without obligation.

**The Homer Fitts
Company
Barre**

BARRE DAILY TIMES

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1917.

The Weather

Generally fair to-night and Saturday and probably Sunday; cooler to-night; fresh winds becoming variable.

TALK OF THE TOWN

See Abbott's basement window. New models and spring millinery at Nourse & Wilson's.—adv.

If you want a good sewing machine, buy a Singer. 10 Elm street.

Big shipment rubbers arrived this morning at Shea's Shoe Store.

Dr. D. C. Jarvis of Orange street was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

The Tilden Shoe Co. will buy your old rubber boots. Read their advertisement.

Amos S. Jewett of West Topham was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Adney P. Carr of West Burke returned to his home yesterday after a brief business visit in the city.

Fred N. Bralley of Merchant street is back in Barre, after a sojourn of a few days in Burlington.

Five hundred men wanted to wear our \$3, \$3.50 and \$4 shoes; every pair guaranteed. Lamorey's.

Don't fail to get your share of shoe bargains while they are going at the People's Shoe Store.

H. S. Springer of Norwood, N. Y., was among the business visitors in the city yesterday and to-day.

There is still time to get the free Palmolive soap with a jar of cream or a box of powder, only 44c, at Fitts'.

Robert Johnson, sub-driver at the central fire station, left last evening for Danville, where he will spend two days on business.

Mrs. William Emslie of North Seminary street has gone to Quincy, Mass., there to remain for a month or more with relatives.

Mrs. Lillian Hodgdon of Gorham, N. H., arrived in the city yesterday to visit for several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hodgdon of Highland avenue.

George Lascor, who peddles Stag tobacco in this section while retaining his headquarters in Burlington, visited at the home of his parents in Webster avenue to-day.

A number of Barre people journeyed to the capital yesterday to see and dress by former President W. H. Taft, who spoke before the legislature in the afternoon and at the city hall again in the evening.

Barre Town school children compassed the distance between one of the hill schoolhouses and the city to-day in a big cutter and on their arrival here they left by rail for Montpelier to spend the day in the capitol. Teachers accompanied the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jackson, who have been staying at the home of Dr. Joe W. Jackson of South Main street since their return from St. Albans, Me., some weeks ago, moved yesterday into the house on Orange street recently leased by George E. Leithner.

To-night at the Vinitia club, Prof. Luther I. Bonney, a member of the faculty at Middlebury college, will be the speaker at a smoke talk to be given under club auspices. Prof. Bonney will speak on "Laborer" and afterward there will be a buffet luncheon.

The subscription lists for the performance of "Katinka," Arthur Hammerstein's big opera, at the Barre opera house on Monday, March 19, are now open at Cummings & Lewis' drug store and Merlo's tobacco store. Get your name on the list if you wish to have this attraction here on March 19.—adv.

Deputy Chief Harry Gamble of the police force is detained at his home on Division street by illness and for a time special officers are to be assigned to night duty. The deputy chief is suffering from a recurrence of neuritis which kept him from police duty for an extended period some years ago. This time the attack seems to have been aggravated by a severe fall which the officer sustained while on duty one night early in the winter.

William J. Gibson, who went to Sherbrooke, P. Q., a few days ago, returned this morning and has resumed his duties at the plant of E. A. Bugbee & Co. Mr. Gibson was attracted to Sherbrooke by the offer of lucrative employment in a munition plant, but on his arrival he learned that a number of expert mechanics this side the border had been disappointed by the difference between the offer made in advertisements and the guarantee actually presented when applicants presented themselves at the office of the munitions company.

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Union Dry Goods Company

Saturday and Monday Specials

The following eight bargain specials for Saturday and Monday should be of interest to every economical woman.

Four Specials in Muslin Underwear that Are Extraordinary Values

Wool Dress Skirts at \$3.49

Ladies' All Wool Dress Skirts in Navy and Black Serges, Poplins, etc. Regular values \$5.00 to \$5.98.

Saturday and Monday, **\$3.49** choice

Cotton Night Robes at 49c

One lot of Ladies' Cotton Gowns, high or low neck, hamburger and lace trimmed, regular value 59c.

Saturday and Monday, choice **49c**

Cotton Night Robes at 69c

Exceptional values in high or low-neck Gowns, all very attractive styles, trimmed with hamburger and lace; actual value, 89c.

Saturday and Monday, choice **69c**

Sale of House Dresses at 89c

Just 5 dozen will be on sale at this price. All made of good quality Percales and Gingham and cut very full. Regular price \$1.00, but worth \$1.75.

Sale of Embroideries at 10c yard

One lot of Hamburg Edgings, a good assortment to select from and worth 15c per yard.

Sale of Petticoats at 55c

Several dozen Black Sateen Petticoats that are worth today 75c ea.

Saturday and Monday, choice **55c**

Robes and Skirts at \$1.29

Made of fine Cottons, etc., and an excellent assortment for selection. Regularly sold at \$1.50.

Robes and Skirts at 88c

All crisp, new goods and wonderful value. Gowns that are trimmed with fine laces and hamburgs, skirts with deep hamburger flounces. Values from \$1.00 to \$1.25.

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TALK OF THE TOWN

A meeting of the Burns club will be held in Glen Gordon hall Friday, the 9th, at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to attend. Per order president.

Rev. Fr. M. S. O'Donnell of Randolph will be the preacher at services in St. Monica's church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Fr. O'Donnell will preach on the subject, "Christ, the Husbandman of Mankind."

Pure-food confections that have the added merit of being fresh and, therefore, strictly home-made, are yours in delectable varieties at Laws' candy shop. Saturday specials include cream caramels, vanilla and chocolate, at 23 cents the pound, and old-fashioned molasses candy at 19 cents. Remember the place, Laws' candy shop.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Women, save \$1.50 a pair on your shoes at Shea's Saturday.

New spring millinery now ready for inspection at Nourse & Wilson's.—adv.

See Mrs. Vernon Castle in one of her dances in "Patria" at the Bijou to-day.—adv.

Timothy Marney, a traveling man from Rouses Point, N. Y., was taken to the City hospital yesterday for treatment.

Mrs. William D. Barr, who has been spending a few days at the home of Mrs. E. H. Clark of Perry street, returned to her home in Cabot to-day.

Miss Annie Bell of East Montpelier arrived in the city yesterday to spend several days at the home of her brother, L. J. Bell of Maple avenue.

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Hemstitching done while you wait, at Singer Store, 10 Elm street.

F. H. Bruce of Randolph Center was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

J. B. Wells of Champlain, N. Y., was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Roderick Summers left this morning for Northfield Falls, where he will pass the week end with relatives.

Mrs. William Alexander of Nelson street, who has been passing a month with relatives in Hallowell, Me., returned to Barre this morning.

John Galli of Chicago, Ill., formerly employed here as a granite cutter, arrived in the city yesterday for an extended visit with relatives.

Mrs. J. N. Emerson of Keith avenue left yesterday for Columbia, N. H., where she will spend a few days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Ash.

Among the Williamstown visitors in the city yesterday and to-day were Mrs. Fred Poor, Mrs. Frank Tucker, Mrs. A. Reor, Norman Pratt, Arden Hayward and William Henry.

Max Willey of North Main street, who has been employed as a clerk in the Red Cross pharmacy since his graduation from Goddard seminary, left this morning for Augusta, Me., there to visit friends for a few days before going to Trenton, N. J., where he expects to remain until June.

Miss Doris Covell, a member of the junior class in Brigham academy at Bakersfield, passed through the city yesterday while on her way to her home in Williamstown for a visit of a few days. She was accompanied by her friend, Miss Flora Derby, also a student in Bakersfield school. John Irons, who is attending the academy, is at his home in Williamstown for the spring vacation.

To-night will mark the close of the basketball season in Barre, as far as the interscholastic league is concerned, when the Spaulding five line up against the Hardwick quintet at the Spaulding gymnasium at 8:15. The Spaulding line-up will probably be practically the same as it was at Montpelier Wednesday evening, with Nichols at the jump-up position and Geals at his old position at forward.

Manager J. E. Hoban of the Barre opera house announced this morning that the lessee has secured a booking of the popular opera, "Robin Hood," and the date will be given out within a few days, although it is not definitely known when the company will swing into Barre. It is also stated that the same singers who delighted Barre music lovers in "Brown October Ale," "O Promise Me," etc., two seasons ago are retained in the 1917 company.

Alcohol, the well known demon, has joined more essential commodities in the upward flight and to-day there was gloom in thick chunks among the princes of the Ancient and Exalted Order of Split Drinkers. Just as the inflation in the price of pork sandwiches proceeded from concerted action among the restaurateurs, so has the lift been applied to the fiery sustenance through a meeting of licensees in Barre. With a tongue in his cheek, your dealer will vouchsafe briefly the monosyllabic answer, "War," and look wise when you ask him why one of the least necessary articles of commerce has increased in price. Alcohol prices—and to the initiated that means glycerine prices—have been sailing skyward for some weeks and recently the situation became so acute that the keyhole keeper of the licensees called a special meeting. After that action was swift and sure, hence the gloom.

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The home of home made candies, with special box candies of all kinds

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